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UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

MEMORANDUM FOR THE UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

SUBJECT : Soviet Anti-Ship Missile Threat / *file*

REFERENCE : USIB-D-70.3/2, [Redacted] 8 March 1972 and
Memorandum for Holders, 23 March 1972

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1. The USIB at its meeting on 23 March approved the following actions in regard to the reference report:

a. Noted the report and approved the conclusions in Section IX as amended.

b. Agreed that the actions described in Section IX. D. be implemented by the appropriate agencies. USIB notes that implementation of these actions, particularly those related to the [Redacted] program will be subject to appropriate resource reviews.

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c. Agreed that the additional actions set forth in Section VIII be implemented by the designated agencies.

d. Agreed that the appropriate intelligence agencies and USIB committees examine additional actions which might be taken toward the solution of this problem.

e. Designated the Guided Missile and Astronautics Intelligence Committee to monitor actions being taken to improve overall intelligence on Soviet anti-ship missiles coordinating with the SIGINT Committee and COMIREX and other committees and agencies as appropriate. As a first step, appropriate USIB committees should review collection and processing

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efforts directed against the highest priority targets identified in Paragraph D. 1. of Section IX and determine those additional actions necessary to augment our intelligence data base on these high threat Soviet anti-ship missiles. GMAIC should report to the USIB in September 1972 on the results of these actions and make recommendations for additional actions as appropriate.

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2. Accordingly the appropriate portions of Section VIII, Additional Actions That Might be Taken; and Section IX Conclusions, are referred herewith (attached) to the USIB committees and agencies of the Intelligence Community for their information, implementation, and recommendations to the USIB as appropriate.

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Executive Secretary

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Attachment

cc: Chairman, GMAIC
Chairman, SIGINT Committee
Chairman, COMIREX

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